

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Mika Grundström
Serial No.: 09/990,039
Filed: November 20, 2001
For: MULTICAST ADDRESS TO PACKET IDENTIFIER MAPPING
Group Art Unit: 2144
Examiner: Shaw, Peling Andy

REQUEST FOR ENTRY OF: (1) PETITION & FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a); (2) NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES; AND (3) PRE-APPEAL BRIEF REQUEST FOR REVIEW ORIGINALLY FILED BY HAND-CARRY DELIVERY ON JUNE 30, 2006.

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Applicants respectfully request entry and consideration of the attached documents that were originally filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on June 30, 2006.

I. Discussion

Responsive to the Final Office Action mailed March 6, 2006, and the Advisory Action mailed June 14, 2006, from the United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO), Applicants filed: (1) a Petition & Fee for Extension of Time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a); (2) a Notice of Appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals & Interferences; (3) a Pre-Appeal Brief Request For Review form including separate Remarks By Applicants For Consideration In The Pre-Appeal Conference via hand-carry delivery on June 30, 2006, in Application No. 09/990,039.

However, as of the submission of this request for entry, the Patent Application Information Retrieval (Private PAIR) system does not reflect the receipt of the aforementioned filing. A further telephone inquiry with the Examiner of Record (Andy Peling Shaw) on August 24, 2006, confirmed that the Examiner had not seen, nor had any record of, these documents. As a result, Applicants hereby request entry and consideration of the enclosed documents that were originally filed in the USPTO on June 30, 2006, and if appropriate, an extension of the reply time to the outstanding Final Office Action due to the delay in entry.

II. Conclusion

Applicants assert that, to their knowledge, the enclosed documents have not been entered into the record for the above-identified application. The undersigned hereby states that the aforementioned documents responsive to the March 6, 2006, Final Office Action and the June 14, 2006, Advisory Action were timely filed. As evidence of this filing, Applicants herein submit a copy of the originally documents, as described above, and a copy of a receipt post card stamped by OIPE on that date. Entry of the previously filed papers is hereby requested.

AUTHORIZATION

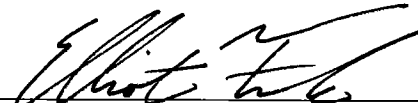
The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required for consideration of this Response to Deposit Account No. 13-4500, Order No. 4208-4028.

In the event that an extension of time is required, or which may be required in addition to that requested in a petition for an extension of time, the Commissioner is requested to grant a petition for that extension of time which is required to make this response timely and is hereby authorized to charge any fee for such an extension of time or credit any overpayment for an extension of time to Deposit Account No. 13-4500, Order No. 4208-4028.

Respectfully submitted,
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